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**REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO RESPOND TO
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Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicant petitions for an extension of time of one month to and including July 12, 2002 in which to respond to the Notice to File Missing Parts dated April 12, 2002.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.17, a check in the amount of \$120.00 is enclosed, which includes the process fee (\$55.00) for a one month extension of time.

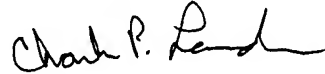
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Respectfully submitted,



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